

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: :
Mark Gray : Confirmation No: 5951
Serial No.: 09/835,059 : Group Art Unit: 2152
Filed: April 13, 2001 : Examiner: Ramsey Refai

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR DETERMINING INTERCONNECTIONS OF
NETWORK DEVICES

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT AND TO
RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Via EFS-Web
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed on June 16, 2008, the shortened statutory period for which runs until July 16, 2008. The last response, filed on April 3, 2008, was missing a forward slash “/” at the end of the electronic signature.

In response to the restriction requirement set forth in the Office Action mailed March 14, 2008, Applicants hereby elect with traverse Claims 1-5, 20-26, 31-37, and 58-62, in Group I, for examination. Reconsideration of the Restriction Requirement in light of the remarks herein is respectfully requested.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 22.